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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Customer Number: 20277
Hitoshi SUWA, et al. : Confirmation Number: 3766
Application No.: 10/783,025 : Group Art Unit: 2816
Filed: February 23, 2004 : Examiner: ENGLUND, Terry Lee
For: BOOSTER CIRCUIT

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Mail Stop Restriction Requirement
Honorable Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Noting the Office Action of June 28, 2005, wherein the Examiner required election between the patentably distinct species identified as Species I through Species III, Applicant hereby elects Species I, claims 1-4 for prosecution in this application.

It is believed that the above represents a complete response to the Official Action and reconsideration of the election requirement is respectfully requested.

To the extent necessary, a petition for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 is hereby made. Please charge any shortage in fees due in connection with the filing of this paper, including extension of time fees, to Deposit Account 500417 and please credit any excess fees to such deposit account.

Respectfully submitted,

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